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SUBJECT: GOB POLICY ON RESETTLEMENT OF VIETNAMESE REFUGEES

REF: BRUSSELS 04029

1. WE HAVE BEEN INFORMED THAT BELGIUM WILL ADMIT ALL VIETNAMESE REFUGEES WHO HAVE IMMEDIATE RELATIVES (MOTHER, FATHER, BROTHER, SISTER, ETC.) LEGALLY RESIDENT IN BELGIUM. REFUGEES ADMITTED IN LATTER CATEGORY WILL BE IN ADDITION TO FIGURE OF ONE HUNDRED INDICATED IN BRUSSELS TEL 04029 IN REF.

2. WE ALSO UNDERSTAND THAT BELGIAN CONSULS IN THE U.S. GIVEN CARTE BLANCHE TO ISSUE BELGIAN ENTRY VISAS TO VIETNAMESE REFUGEES PRESENTLY IN U.S. WHO CAN PRESENT SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE THEY HAVE IMMEDIATE RELATIVES PERMANENTLY RESIDENT IN BELGIUM. ADDITIONALLY, BELGIAN CONSULAR OFFICIALS IN HONG KONG, WE UNDERSTAND, AUTHORIZED ISSUE VISAS TO VIETNAMESE REFUGEES ON GUAM WHO QUALIFY BASIS IMMEDIATE RELATIVES LEGALLY RESIDENT IN BELGIUM.

3. WE WILL REPORT MORE INFO THIS MATTER AS IT DEVELOPS.

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